

**RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.116
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE
EXAMINING GROUP 2617**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
BEFORE THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES**

In re Application of

Paul R. SIMONS et al

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Examiner **Sayed T. ZEWARI**

NOTICE OF APPEAL

Sir:

Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision dated March 3, 2009, of the Examiner finally rejecting claims 1-4 and 6-19.

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Respectfully submitted,

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